

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
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NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

APR 22 2016

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
conformance with 19.15.29 NMAC.
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Apache Corporation **873** **Contact:** Bruce Baker
Address: 2350 W Marland Blvd Hobbs, NM 88240 **Telephone No.:** (432) 631-6982
Facility Name: Cedar Lake Federal CA 335H **Facility Type:** Oil Well

Surface Owner: Federal **Mineral Owner:** **API No.:** 30-15-42140

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
M	3	17S	31E	930'	FSL	557'	FWL	Eddy

32.858879 Latitude Longitude 103.864418

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: produced water and oil	Volume of Release: 5 barrels of oil and 2 barrels of water	Volume Recovered: 2 barrels of oil
Source of Release: Well Head	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 4/6/2016	Date and Hour of Discovery: 4/6/2016
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Shelly Tucker (BLM) via email	
By Whom? Bruce Baker	Date and Hour: 4/7/2015 at	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*		
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* Analog gauge at well head broke resulting in the release. The release was isolated and repaired.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* The majority of the standing fluid from the release was contained on the well pad. Approximately 1,000 square feet of light oil overspray affected the pasture north and northeast of the pad. The affected vegetation from the overspray will be washed with Dawn dishwashing soap.		
I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.		

SIGNATURE Signature: <u>Bruce Baker</u>		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Bruce Baker		Approved by Environmental Specialist: <u>[Signature]</u>	
Title: Environmental Technician		Approval Date: <u>4/25/16</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: larry.baker@apachecorp.com		Conditions of Approval: Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines <input type="checkbox"/> SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO	
Date: 4/22/2016 Phone: (432) 631-6982			

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

LATER THAN: 5/26/16 2RP-3658

Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

From: Baker, Larry <Larry.Baker@apachecorp.com>
Sent: Friday, April 22, 2016 10:41 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; stucker@blm.gov; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
Subject: Cedar Lake Federal CA #335 H (formally Crow Fed 35 H) initial C-141
Attachments: Initial C-141.pdf

All,

Please find the attached initial C-141 for the above referenced site. Please let me know if you have any question or wish to discuss.

Thanks and have a good weekend.

Bruce Baker
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Environmental Technician
Northwest District
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